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MECHANISM TO COMPENSATE WRITE OR HEAT ELEMENT  
FOR OFF-TRACKING POSITION WITH YAW ANGLE

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AMENDMENT

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
 Commissioner for Patents  
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18 March 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 18 November 2005, the following is respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

In accordance with the revised format of the manner of making amendments under 37 CFR §1.121 as set forth in the Final Rule effective 30 July 2003, each section of amendment herein begins on a new page, and changes are shown by strike-through (or double brackets where appropriate) and underlining to indicate deletions and additions, respectively. A complete listing of all claims ever presented in the application is given with the current status of each claim, and only the text of all pending and withdrawn claims is presented in full, with those not being amended herein being presented in clean version.

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**SUBMISSION OF AMENDMENT, PETITION AND PTO-2038**

Sir:

Applicant hereby submits the attached Amendment (27 pages), Petition for Extension of Time (1 page) and PTO-2038 (1 page) for entry in the above-noted application.

**CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION:**

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